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## **LOUISIANA STATE COTTON MUSEUM PLAYS HOST TO AG AND HOME SAFETY DAY**

Secretary of State Jay Dardenne is partnering with the Progressive Agriculture Foundation, the East Carroll Parish School Board and the LSU Agriculture Center Louisiana Cooperative Extension Service to present Ag and Home Safety Day. The activities will be held on the museum's grounds on April 25 from 8:45 a.m. to 2 p.m.

All fifth-grade children in East Carroll Parish from Monticello, Southside, Northside, Delta Mennonite and Briarfield schools will attend. There will be classes on fire and home safety, farm and home flowable entrapment, basic first aid, ATV safety, firemen safety, lawn and yard equipment safety, poisonous plants, healthy lifestyles and drug detection. Lake Providence Senior High School and Briarfield Academy 4-H members will assist the class instructors.

The Louisiana State Cotton Museum is located at 7162 Hwy. 65 North. Museum hours are Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Admission is free.

For more information about the Louisiana State Cotton Museum and the Secretary of State Museums Program, please visit our Web site at <http://sos.louisiana.gov/museums>.

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